

will be a security for the fulfilment of the object of the endowment.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 220.

Education to orphans.

Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiah, Mysore
City Municipal Council.

Summary of discussion.—A rule may be made to get all the orphan boys and girls in the State properly educated at the expense of the State. This may be done either directly by establishing State orphanages or indirectly by giving liberal grants-in-aid to the orphanages which are in existence or are about to come into existence.

There is a want of an organised effort here, as in progressive countries like Japan.

It is enough if they are given primary education combined with technical education.

The Mysore orphanage is worked on non-sectarian principles.

Mr. V. Raghavachar.—We cannot admit all the applicants seeking for admission into the *Anathalaya* at Mysore. The grant must be increased.

In Shimoga a private orphanage is being started. The rules, etc., connected therewith, were sent to Government.

Mr. M. K. Krishnamurti.—There are two orphanages in Bangalore—the Srinivasa Mandiram for boys and the *Abalasrama* for girls.

Messrs. Anniah Pandit and M. Venkatakrishnaiah.—A State grant of Rs. 5 for each boy and Rs. 7 for each girl may be given and a Government Officer may be associated with the management.

Reply of Government.—It is difficult for Government to open orphanages, but applications for increased grants or for fresh grants-in-aid for orphanages will be considered, if received.

SUBJECT No. 221.

Orphanages at the district
head-quarters.

Messrs. Adinaranaiah, Dodballapur
taluk, and A. Ranganna, Dod-
ballapur municipality.

Summary of discussion.—An orphanage may be maintained at every district head-quarter, the cost of its maintenance being met from the District Funds and from the surplus funds out of the allotment for the *chattrams* in disuse, and the pupils given lessons in industry and commerce. This will promote the prosperity of the people.

Reply of Government.—If charitably disposed local gentlemen start an orphanage, the Government will give all-reasonable help.